



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

François COTTARD et al.

Application No.: 10/728,890

Filed: December 8, 2003

**For: COMPOSITION FOR THE OXIDATION
DYEING OF KERATIN FIBERS
COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE FATTY
ALCOHOL, AT LEAST ONE OXIDATION
DYE, AT LEAST ONE ASSOCIATIVE
POLYMER, AND AT LEAST ONE
COMPOUND CHOSEN FROM FATTY
ACID ESTERS AND METAL OXIDES**

Group Art Unit: 1751

Examiner: Eisa B. ELHILO

Confirmation No.: 9673

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of November 29, 2005. Please charge the fee of \$450.00 to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: Monday, May 1, 2006

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